

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES



744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

May 26, 1989

ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE NO. I-34-89

TO: ALL-COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: TRAINING FOR COUNTY ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES STAFF
IN ELDER AND DEPENDENT ADULT ABUSE INVESTIGATIONS

The Bureau of Medi-Cal Fraud and Patient Abuse of the Office of the Attorney General is offering training to County adult protective services (APS) staff in evaluating and documenting criminal abuse against elders and dependent adults, as required under Government Code Section 12528(h). Training will include Role of the Bureau, Crime Awareness, Investigation and Documentation, Understanding the Investigative Process, and a videotape on reporting abuse.

The one-day training will be offered on a regional basis at host County sites; the addresses and times are provided on the attached sheet. Counties are requested to have their APS staff attend the training on the date and location specified within the host County. The number of participants will be limited to approximately twenty (20) for each training session.

The Bureau of Medi-Cal Fraud and Patient Abuse has field tested the training package with APS staff and incorporated APS feedback into the training curricula. Also, Bureau staff have been very accommodating in scheduling their training dates so as not to conflict with monthly and annual meetings of the County Welfare Director's Association (CWDA).

We also wish to thank the host Counties and particularly County contact persons for graciously accepting host responsibilities which include arrangement for a training site and obtaining needed equipment.

If you have questions, please call Ms. Lucille Toscano, Adult Services Bureau, telephone (916) 323-6340.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Loren D. Suter", is positioned above the typed name.

LOREN D. SUTER
Deputy Director
Adult and Family Services

Attachment

cc: Bureau of Medi-Cal Fraud and Patient Abuse
Office of the Attorney General

SCHEDULE OF TRAINING FOR COUNTY ADULT
PROTECTIVE SERVICES STAFF CONDUCTED BY
THE BUREAU OF MEDI-CAL FRAUD AND PATIENT
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Training hours are from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM on dates and at places shown below. Training will be conducted in Counties which are listed first under each date. Counties listed under each host County are asked to have Adult Protective Services staff attend the training in that host County on the date indicated. We are attempting to limit each training session to approximately twenty (20) persons. Thank you.

DATES	COUNTIES	LOCATION OF TRAINING	COUNTY CONTACT
June 21	Napa Colusa Glenn Lake Marin Mendocino Solano Sonoma Yolo	Dept. of Social Services 2261 Elm St. Conference Room Napa	Chuck Castellar (707) 253-4651
June 28	Sacramento	Dept. of Justice 4949 Broadway Folsom Rm. E 122 Sacramento	Donna Vercoe (916) 732-3082
July 12	Santa Barbara Kern San Luis Obispo Ventura	924 Anacapa Room M, 3rd floor Santa Barbara	Duncan Thomas (805) 568-3323
July 19	Monterey San Benito Santa Cruz	1184 Monroe St. Suite 10 Salinas	Carmen Del Mingo (408) 757-5905
Aug 21- 24	Los Angeles (4 sessions)	10355 Slusher Dr. Suite 1 Santa Fe Springs (Off Fwy 605)	Evelyn Martin (818) 903-5417
Sept 20	San Bernardino Riverside	320 East D St. Garden Room Ontario	Ray Copple (714) 387-4736
Oct 4	Contra Costa Alameda Santa Clara San Francisco San Mateo	1340 Arnold Dr. Suite 220 Martinez	Lee Hunter (415) 646-5206

Oct 25	San Joaquin Amador Alpine Calaveras El Dorado Mono Stanislaus Tuolumne	Micke Grove 11793 North Micke Grove Rd. Lodi	Bob Rimington (209) 468-3812
Oct 26	Merced Fresno Inyo Kings Madera Mariposa Tulare	Dept. of Human Services 2115 Wardrobe Ave. Merced	George Boardman (209) 385-3000
Nov 2	San Diego Imperial Orange	Trolley Towers Rm. 745, 1255 Imperial San Diego	Janlee Wong or Karen Harbert (619) 579-4200
Nov 15	Butte Del Norte Humboldt Lassen Nevada Placer Plumas Modoc Sierra Sutter Shasta Tehama Trinity Siskiyou Yuba	25 County Center Dr. Personnel Trng. Rm. Oroville	Kim Gaghagen (916) 538-7657

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